



# THE WINDOW



A RESIDENTS VIEW ON THE TOWN

With the good ol' US of A getting a few snow flakes, I thought I may as well tell you which roads are likely to be salted in the event of a bit of snow arriving here.

A41 by pass

A414 Kings Road, Kingshill Way and the road to Chesham.

B4506 New Road in Northchurch to Ashridge

Castle Street.

Happy motoring! Don't try to go either up or down any hills.

Well, here on the 18<sup>th</sup> February we are into typical 'spring weather. Yesterday was clear and pleasant, this morning started with a layer of frozen drizzle on the ground, then it stopped only for the drizzle to take hold for the whole blooming day.

I saw a County Council van creep up Swing Gate Lane this morning – then I saw it with amber lights flashing as it drove back down again – exciting life or what.

Whilst on the subject of roads, I complained a while ago about the state of the A4251 opposite the Esso petrol station. Lo and behold, a week or so ago, resurfacing started but it looks like they ran out of tarmac so if anyone has about 10 yards of Tarmac laying around, we might get it finished this year. Oh yeh, I hear you say. Believe me, repairs to my road are often started and never finished. They put a new kerb in – never did come back to make good between the new kerb and original road. They even chiselled out a nice rectangle last year on the junction – still waiting but of course, now we have an even larger area that needs replacing.

The good news is that the promised High Street and Curtis Way resurfacing will happen – don't know when, but the machinery to do it has now gone away. Shambles springs to mind!

This started as a simple little project, but why aren't things simple any more?

That's it for now, bound to be something else soon!

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